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BISMARCK MAKES PROMISES. BERLIN, March 10 .- Prince Bismarck replying to an address of the Peasants strength will allow to work in the interest of agriculture, fostering the farming industry by legislation as far as possible, pulse is finttering and very weak.

the Germans.

THE ST. L., A. & T. MATTER. NEW YORK, March 10.-Another confer ence was held today by the re-organizing further argument upon the proposition to committee of the St. Louis, Arkausas & increase the duty on hops. The matter has now been referred to the council of the two committees who will on unminimations and adjourned, after a sesnow endeavor to effect a compromise.

ON ITS LINE ONLY.

The Santa Fe will Not Prorate on Eastern Grain Shipments.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 10.-The Atchison. to Chairman Midgley, of the Western Freight association, that on and after working laborously to unravel matters, March 17 it will decline to prorate with but will probably not be ready to report the other lines on grain shipments not originating on its own line passing the Noland's resignation and is undecided as Missouri river, destined to points east of to what disposition he will make of it. It mississippi river north of St. Louis. In the been currently reported here and elsewher words it will quote through rates on where that the governor would cause prograin only when the entire haul is over its

against the East Omaha Land company. The case involves title to about forty acres of land on the bank of the river, opposite Omaha, formed in the course of twenty years or more by gradual accretions. The land company is the owner of the lot against which the deposits were made that esulted in the accretion of the forty acres and the decision is in its favor, on the ground that where a water line is the boundary of a lot the limit of the same is bounded by that line and shifts with the

TAULBEE STILL BEYOND HOPE. WASHINGTON, March 10.-Ex-Representunion, promises to continue, so far as his ative Tauibee has suffered another relapse and his condition this morning is almost hopeless. He is delirious and his and relieving it from unequal taxation.

Herr Vohosen, German consul at Zanzibata, acting for the East Africa company, splintered and that inflammation of the membranes has set in.

> CAPITAL NOTES. Washington, March 10.—The ways and means committee of the house today heard

I sion of fifteen minutes.

SPECIAL SALE MARCH 14.

Sash Ribbons 25 Cents

1000 Yards Ribbon worth 50 to 75 cents.

50 dozen Ladies' Black Lisle

50 Beaded Wraps, worth \$3.50,

J. B. Fox will remain in New York all spring looking up bar-

MURDERED AND ROBBED.

The Fate of a German Horse Dealer of Peoria-After the Criminals.

PERIN, Ill., March 10 .- The body of a man was found lodged against a snag in the Illinois river Saturday by parties passing in a skiff. The remains were brought to this city yesterday and at the inquest it was learned that they were those of Bernhard Junghans, a German horse buyer of Peoria, a man of considerable means. There was an ugly wound back of the right ear. A gold watch and chair and a gold ring which he wore were missing and no money was found upon the body, although it was learned from letters in the dead man's pocket that he intended to start for Germany today. The man was undoubtedly murdered and robbed and his body thrown into the river. The coroner's jury returned a verdict to that effect.

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Four policemen surrounded a den kept by Link Hummel and Bill Luckey last night and endeavored to arrest them for the murder of Junghans. As the policemen burst in the doors the two ruffians dropped through a trap door and escaped to the river by means of a sewer. Two cyprians living with them were arrested and the murdered man's watch chain and ring found on them. Junghans was enticed into the den on Friday, his head split open and his body conveyed to the river by means of the trap and sewer. He had drawn \$2,000 from the bank on Thursday and intended leaving for New York Friday. He was 50 years of age and is reputed to be wealthy. All of the police have orders to kill either Hummell or Luckey on sight as they are desperate characters and have committeed many crimes. It is thought they will try to reach Chicago or Kansas City.

IN JAIL NOW.

An Attorney Attempts to Steal Title to Valuable Property.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 10.-Jay Bought, an attorney of this city, was arhaving defrauding a colored man and estate in this city. The parties are John and Johanna Sweeney and they live here.
The property was bought by Sweeney
some twenty-five years since. It covers
an acre of ground on the corner of Eigh-For the past five years Bought has had

stroyed it. Last week Bought formulated a second will and it was acknowledged before Notary Public Rush C. Lake, witnessed and duly signed, scaled and deliyered. For some reason Mr. Lake became supicious of the document. Upon investigation he found it was a warrantee deed for all the property, the consideration for which was \$1. He reported the matter to Chief Speers, who brought the matter to the attention of the grand jury which sat in Independence last week. An indictment was returned against Bought, but he had got wind of the indictment and escaped. He was traced to Chicago, requisition papers was traced to Chicago, requisition papers were obtained and an officer sent to bring him back. Bought will be returned to this city tomorrow in charge of the NOLAND'S CASE IN STATU QUO.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 10 .- Matters are in statu quo so far as regards Popeka & Santa Fe road has given notice developments in the Noland case. The committee conducting the examination is tonight. The governor is still holding Mr. to what disposition he will make of it. It where that the governor would cause pro-ceedings to be instituted in the supreme court this morning to oust the treasurer. WATER LINE AS A BOUNDARY,
Washington, March 10.—The supreme court of the United States, through Justice Blatchford, today rendered an opinion affirming the judgment of the circuit court for the district of Nebraska in the case of Thomas Jeffries, plaintiff in error, against the East Omaha Land company.

The suprementation of the company and the company of the committee is made and his resignation acted upon by the governor. Perry Pader, connected with the Brunswicker, a week-ly newspaper published in Chariton countered with the Brunswicker. newspaper published in Chariton coun-is here to urge his claims for appointment to the vacancy.

THE FLACK CONSPIRACY CASE. New York, March 10.—The trial of Sheriff James A. Flack, William L. Flack Sheriff James A. Flack, who are indicted for conspiracy with Judge Ambrose Monell, since deceased, was begun today in the court of over and terminer before Judge Barrett. The conspiracy consists of trying to procure a livorce for Sheriff Flack from the latter's wife.

SHEETZ PLEADS NOT GUILTY. KANHAS CITY, Mo., March 10.-A special from Liberty, Mo., says: James L. Sheetz, who shot and killed John Lewton, on January 7, was arraigned in court to-day and plead not guilty. The trial is set for Saturday, the 15th inst. A continu-ance will probably be asked for.

SENT BACK A CONFESSION.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 10.—C. B. Henkle, bookkeeper of the Globe Light and Heat company, has been missing since March A partial examination of his accounts reveals a shortage of \$2,000. A letter re-ceived from the missing employe admits

CROP STATISTICS

THE MARCH REPORT OF THE AGRI-CULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

An Unprecedented Amount of Corn on Hand for the Time of Year.

Almost no Surplus Wheat in the Hands of Farmers of the Western States.

Gloves, worth 25 to 35, at 10c Projects for the Financial Relief of Farmers and Inspection of Meats for Exportation Discussed in the Senate -An Inquiry Regarding the Status of Indian Lands-Items.

> WASHINGTON, March 10.-The statistical report of the department of agriculture for March relates to the distribution and consumption of corn and wheat. It makes the proportion of the corn crop in the hands of growers 45.9 per cent, or 970,000,-00 bushels, and of the wheat crop 31.3 per cent, or 156,000,000 bushels. The stock of corn on hand is the largest over reported in March, of the largest crop, after the mildest winter. The average of eight annual returns is 677,000,000 bushannual els, that of last year 787,000,000 bushels. The estimated consumption to March 1, is 1,143,000 bushels, a figure exceeded only last year and in 1886. The proportion of the merchantable crop of 1889 is 85.7 per cent; exceeded in recent years only by those of 1884 and 1886. The average value of all corn on the 1st of December was 28.3 cents per bushel. The

000 less than the December estimate.

The wheat crop of 1889 was exceeded by the crops of 1880, 1882 and 1884. The period was 440,000,000 bushels. Most of the wheat in farmers' hands is in states which have no surplus over consumption or in those in which much the larger proportion is consumed at home. The six spring wheat states have only 45,000,000 bushels, 18,000,000 of which will be required for spring seed, and the remainder is scarcely more than four months' consumption of their population. Ohio, Michigan and Indiana, Illinois, Missouri and Kansas, the only wheat states east of the Rocky mountains contributing to commercial distribution, have only 69,000,000 bushels, half of which will be needed at nome and a part of the remainder is commercially unavailable at present prices. It is seen, therefore, that the available supply for exportation and for home distribution to July is small. The depleted farm reserves have been measurably filled except in a few states, but it will require the pressure of high prices to squeeze any considerable proportion of them into commercial distribution.

FOR FARMER AND PACKER.

The Senate Discusses Agricultural Depression and Meat Exportation.

WASHINGTON, March 10,-Mr. Stanford structing the committee on finance to inhis wife out of \$100,000 worth of real quire what relief for the existing agricultural depression may be furnished by the United States government and particularly whether loans may not be made by the government upon mortgages on real estate independent of improvements at such rates and to such an amount as will make the security to the government perfect the government to receive small rate of interest (from 1 to 2 per cent) and to be able to call in a percentage of the loans from time to time at its discretion.

He submitted some remarks in support of his resolution and the resolution was sent to the committee on finance.

Mr. Plumb offered resolutions which were agreed to calling on the secretary of the interior for a statement as to the cases of withholding patents for lands within the limits of the Union Pacific land grant; also for a copy of the compliation recently made respecting the legal status of Indians and of lands within the Indian

territory.
On motion of Mr. Sherman the bill re-On motion of Mr. Saerman the onli re-ported from the committee on foreign re-lations on the 5th inst., providing for an inspection of meats for exportation, pro-hibiting the importation of adultered ar-ticles of food ordrink and authorizing the president to make proclamation in certain cases and for other purposes was taken

from the calendar.

Mr. Manderson suggested that one of the great troubles in connection with the exportation of meat products was the municipal requirements of foreign countries, and he asked Mr. Sharman whether there was anything in the bill that could remedy that trouble.

Mr. Sherman said that for several years

past restrictions had been imposed in France, Germany and Great Britain on the importation of meat products. The general complaint made in all those countries was that there were no meat inspec-tion laws in the United States, such as existed in European countries, It was believed that the passage of the bill would enable the proper authorities of the United States to procure a repeal and release of the various restrictions more or less, and that it would, thereby, add at least \$\$0,000,000 to the American exportation of beef pro-

Mr. Platt asked Mr. Sherman where inspections of beef were to be made.

Mr. Sherman replied that the inspections were to be made at the port of exportation. Mr. Platt remarked that that was actually impracticable, at least he was so informed. The circumstances surrounding the shipping of meat products from the wharves at New York were such that

in by Senators Allison, Plumb, Teller and Edmunds, and was going on when the hour of 2 o'clock arrived, when the bill was laid aside without action and the educational bill was taken up as the unfinished business. Mr. Higgins addressed the senate in advocacy of the bill. Mr. Jones, of Arkansas, followed Mr. Higgins. At the close of Mr. Jones' speech the senate proceeded to vote on the amendmenta proposed by the committee and they were severally agreed to.

The bill was then laid aside and after an executive session the senate adjourned. by Senators Allison, Prumb, Teller and

WASHINGTON, March 10.—On motion of Mr. Owen, of Indiana, the senate resolution was concurred in providing the scutate committee on immigration and the can not be foretoid. TO INVESTIGATE IMMIGRATION LAWS-

house committee on immigration and naturalization shall jointly investigate the workings of the various laws of the United States and the several states relative to

workings of the various laws of the United States and the several states relative to immigration.

The resolution was so amended as to direct the joint committee to investigate the effect on American workingmen which is likely to follow the purchase of American industries by foreign capitalists; also to report to congress the official correspondence on the proposal to make Bedloes Island, New York harbor, an immigrant depot and whether in the opinion of the committee such Island is the best and most suitable place for such depot.

A resolution was adopted calling on the secretary of war for information relative to the effective work on the Washington aqueduct tunnel and whether contractors are liable therefore.

In the morning hour the senate bill was passed (with verbal amendments) to prevent the introduction of contaglous diseases from one state to another.

Mr. Lacer, of lowa, from the committee on elections, reported a resolution for the appointment of a sub-committee to make full and thorough investigation of the contested election case of Clayton vs. Breckinridge, to take and report all the evidence in regard to the methods of said election, and whether contestant or contestee or either of them was legally elected. The sub-committee is empowered to proceed to Arkansas. Mr. Lacey (at the request of Mr. Breckinridge, of Arkansas), offered an amendment directing the sub-committee to investigate all events relating to the contest or arising therefrom after the election.

to the contest or arising therefrom after the election.

The amendment was agreed to and the resolution as amended was adopted.

The house then went into the committee of the whole (Mr. Payson, of Illinois, in the chair) on the Oklahoma territory bill. Without making much progress with the bill the committee arose and the house ad-

GOVERNMENT FARM LOANS. Senator Stanford's Reasoning in Advocacy after dinner.

of His Resolution. WASHINGTON, March 10.-Senator Stan-

loans on real estate, said: "The government bond is valuable to the holder on account of the interest it December was 28.3 cents per bushel. The average on March 1, was 27.9 cents for merchantable, and 19.2 for unmerchantable, making an aggregate of value \$35,000, ment bills 90 per cent of its ordinary and the december with the december was 28.3 cents per bushel. The percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government, receives back 90 per cent in government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and the december was 28.3 cents per bushel. The percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and the december was 28.3 cents per bushel. The percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and the december was 28.3 cents per bushel. The percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent in government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and the december was 28.3 cents per bushel. The percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and the december was 28.3 cents per bushel. The percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bills 90 per cent of its cordinary and percentages it draws; but when the bond holder, by depositing it with the government bill be attached. ment to the extent of the money loaned him to increase its value to the full amount K. of the loan. Thus the government loan Huins, Cedarvale: money do not terminate with its expendi-tures by the farmers, and those who have received it in their turn will make use of it as an energizing factor in the forces of life to an indefinite period. As money em-ploys labor it brings to life a continuing force—labor begetting labor as certainly as its fruits are valuable.

"Another way by which we can appreciate what money actively used may perform in the settlement of balances is to be found in the value of commodities pro-

Taxas Cattle Driven North on Account of more in circulation.

BOYCOTTING THE ROADS.

The what money actively used may perform in the settlement of balances is to be found in the value of commodities produced and exchanged compared with the amount of money in circulation.

"How far the boundless resources of our country shall be put into activity depends not only upon the active industry of our people, but upon the power necessary to induce that industry and is should be the fostering care of the government to see that such industry receives every enour-agement. An abundant supply of money means to individuals of capacity, a field for the use of their abilities in prose-cuting their various callings of life and will be particularly valuable to associations of individuals by affording their material production of the most effective means of placing at the government without risk I do not think that there would be any serious object the government without risk I do not think that there would be any serious object to my resolutions. In my opinion ample protection would be afforded the government if it limited its is loans to one half or quarter of the assessed valuation of the property given as security and upon the appraise ment of government of the property given as security and upon the appraise ment of government of the property given as security and upon the appraise ment of government of the property given as security and upon the appraise ment of government of the property given as security and upon the appraise ment of government of the property given as security and upon the appraise ment of government of the property given and the property given as security and upon the appraise ment of government of the property given as security and upon the property given as the property given as security and upon the property given as the property given and the and clevate their condition. To me, one of the most effective means of placing at man's disposal the force inherent in the value of property is through furnishing a bountiful supply of money based upon unquestioned and secure values."

THE WORLD'S FAIR BILL

to the full committee. The changes made in the bill by the sub-committee are few and the principles of the original bill are closely adhered to. The provision for a national commission composed of two members from each state nominated by the governors and appointed by the president has been retained, but an amendment has been added providing that the be maintained in this court when the commissioners shall be divided equally between the two political parties. The govrument commissioners are to be seen the consent of the Indians. tween the two political parties. The gov-ernment commissioners are to have con-trol of the operation of the fair, the appointment of juries distribution of awards, etc., but the illinois coporation (which is recognized in the bill) is to prepare the site, construct the buildings and retain. Stafford's School Superintendent Dead—The Week's Events. control of financial affairs.

WINDOMS' SILVER BILL DISCUSSED. WASHINGTON, March 10 -The house committee on coluage, weights and measures again had under consideration today the Windom silver bill and informally passed upon it. A number of amendments were offered to the bill but only two were adopted. One of these was the addition of ver reaches the price mentio wharves at New Jork were such that any inspection there would hinder and impede and embarass the business.

An Sherman explained that his answer had not been literally correct and he quoted from the provision of the bill outhat point.

The discussion was further participated in hy Senators Allison, Pound, Teller and

MORE SENATORS SWORN. WASHINGTON, March 10.-The investi-

the senate in executive session was continued today by Senator Dolph's special ginning where the committee left off Fri-day afternoon. The committee continued in seasion until 5 o'clock, and suspended operations during the brief executive sexsion that was held. Meanwhile it is not

DELEGATES TO THE INTERSTATE CONVENTION ROLLING IN.

Remedy for the Depression of the Trade Will be Considered.

The Opening of the Cherokee Strip to be Discussed-Kansas and Territory Delegates.

Cattle Being Driven from Texas Into the Territory on Account of High Railway Rates in that State-Judge Shakelford Decides A Case of Interest to Leasers in the Territory-Notes.

pecial dispatch to the Daily Eagle. FORT WORTH, Tex., March 10.-Deleates to the interstate cattlemen's convention have been arriving all day and even-Most of them will probably arrive before noon tomorrow. The train bringing the Chicago, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska contingent will be here shortly

The chief object of the convention is to devise a means of overcoming the de-pression in the live stock trade that is ford, in presenting his resolution to the now apparent and has existed for several senate today relative to the government years. In this connection the rates of transportation enjoyed will be discussed and the advisability of opening the Cherokee strip to settlement will also be a subearns. In its energetic factor in the ject to which a good deal of interest will

ment bills 90 per cent of its cordia; John A. Biair, Caldwell; E. A. value becomes energized into an ac-Berry, Marysville; H. H. Crane, Independ-The wheat crop of 1889 was exceeded by the crops of 1880, 1882 and 1884. The average remainder in the hands of growers on the 1st of March of growers can the last of March of growers can be be a large of the country. In the manner of growers can be last of March of the bulk of the last of March of the last of for ten years past has been 130,000,000 bushels. The average crop during this period was 440,000,000 bushels. Most of the wheat in farmers' hands is in states which have no surplus over consumation. W. : W. A. Harri Hearst, Howard; would be doing double duty. Hamilton; W. H. Lord, Burlingame; F. Now the activities of this M. Lockwood, Norton; G. W. Miller, Winfield; Cotonel F. Mann. Marysville; iam Martindale, Emporia; F. P. Morgan, Arkansas City; J. H. Pugh, Independe D. R. Streeter, Kiowa; M. H. Snyder, Ar-kansas City; E. Titus, Topeka; W. H. Volis, Wellington; B. Welch, Kansas City; L. C. Waite, Elgin, and John T. White, Ada, Kan; A. J. Day, Cantonment, I. T.; Zachariah Mulhali, Alfred, Ok.

Judge Shackleford Decides a Question of Interest to Stockmen.

MUSKOGER, I. T., March 10.-A question of considerable interest to stockmen WASHINGTON, March 10 .- The special grazing cattle in the Indian Territory was world fair committee held a meeting to- decided by Judge Shackleford in the day and completed the bill to be presented United States court. A number of suits involving large amounts, brought by the United States to recover the penalty of and the principles of the original bill are \$100 per head for cattle grazing on Indian

FROM ST. JOHN.

Special Correspondence to the Daily Eagle.
St. John, Kan, March 10.—J. I. Salmon, superintendent of schools of Stafford county, died at his home in this city on Friday morning at 4 o'clock. His death was not unexpected, as for a year or more past he has been afflicted with that dread are injected by the master.

This result affects the most important agreeign thread districts and changes the indisease consumption, Mr. Salmon was as exemplary gentleman and a faithful, true and able officer, beloved by all, and approviso to section 5. This section makes it the duty of the secretary of the treasury to refuse deposits of silver when the market price, as determined by him, shall exceed one dollar for 371.25 grains of pure silver. The amendment provides for free coinage of silver whenever the price of silver whenever the price of silver provides the price mentioned above.

C. G. McNell has become the successor of Swartz Bros in the mercantile business. He took charge of the store last Monday.

W. K. P. Daw, the new postmaster, took charge of the office Sunday morning. Mr. Muce, his predecessor, has expressed himself as intending going to Sait Lake City. He has been a good and faithful official gation of the "leaks" by which the public and has the best wishes of our people for

ecomes acquainted with proceedings of future success. The First Baptist church has a pastor, Rev. F. W. Davis. new committee. Senators were summoned as formerly of Raymond, Kan. He has re-near as possible in alphabetical order, be-moved with his family to this city, and a moved with his family to this city, and a hearty welcome is extended them by our

> Stafford county is making a grand effort for improvement, and with Messra. Fisher and Puller at the head of the immigration movement will no doubt succeed in secur- the American minister here, anthorizes a ng her quote of new settlers. Our county offers superior inducements to home seek-sign his position era. With good soil, pure water and in-death of his son.

exhaustible resources undeveloped, a broad field awaits the energetic, industrious

Register of Deeds Ike S. Lewis will move into his new home in the course of a week. He recently purchased what was the Bap-tist parsonage, has had the house replas-tered and refitted and will have a comp home.

home.

The township assessors of this county met last Monday and decided upon a basis of assessment. They decided to appraise all property except cattle, horses and mules at actual cash value, real estate and town lots at 50 per cent of the valuation of two years ago.

town lots at 50 per cent of the valuation of two years ago.

Rev. A. Hoffman, recently of this city, now located at East Las Vegas, N. M., will deliver a free lecture in the M. E. church here on the evening of the 18th.

The family of F. M. Cowgill, attorney at law, rejoice over the advent of a boy baby at their house on Friday evening last.

Hon. F. C. Swartz has removed to his farm since his retirement from the mercantile business. We are sorry to lose him from our city as he is a useful and enterprising citizen.

On Monday evening of last week an assembly of Knights of Labor was organized in this city with thirty-six charter members.

bers.

Speculations are already rife as to who will be appointed county superintendent in place of J. M. Salmon, deceased. Prof. C. W. Goodman, principle of our city schools, would fill the bill admirably, and were a special election called and he would enter the race, there would be little doubt as to the result; but if the vacancy is filled by the county commissioners, and that as to the result; but if the vacancy is himsely the county commissioners, and that board being Democratic (thanks to the help of the Union Labor fusionists) the contest will be between Prof. Bell, of Stafford, and O. C. Jennings, of this city. Either would make a good officer, and, if it must be a Democrat, Jennings is the choice here of course.

HALLOWELL INTERVIEWED.

He Tells How Good Are His Chances for Congress.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 10.—A Topeka special says: Coionel J. R. Hallowell, of Wichita, is in the city today. He says be has the most excellent chances of succeed-ing Mr. Peters, the present representative in congress of the Seventh Kausas congres-sional district. Judge Wall, one of the strongest candidates for the nomination, has withdrawn in Mr. Hallowell's favor, and the colonel is now considered to be far ahead in the race for the place. Mr. Hallowell was Wichita's first assistant attorney general, appointed by Judge Humphrey to enforce the prohibitory law.

A FARMER FOR GOVERNOR. Another special from Topeka says: One of the leaders of the Sedg-wick County Farmers' Alliance has made the positive statement that the alliance will go into politics in the next compaign and demand the nomination of an agri-culturist for governor. A. W. Smith, lest-ter known as "farmer" Smith, of McPher-son, one of the candidates for the nomina-tion who were defeated by Governor Hum-phrey two years ago, is prominently men-tioned as the choice of the alliance.

A SUICIDE SUSPECTED.

CHICAGO, III., March 10.-The 16-yearld son of ex-Mayor P. Y. Thomas, of Parsons, Kan., brought a letter to police headquarters last evening, in which the ex-mayor threatened suicide because of a trifling deception on the part of the Search was made for Mr. Thomas, but he has not been found and it is feared he has jumped into the lake. The ex-mayor is an excitable and nervous man. He is separated from his wife, who is at present matron of a municipal institution in Denver. When mayor of Parsons, Mr. Thomas was a prosperous business man, but in

date for secretary of the territory when territorial government shall be extended over it, and McCabe's candidacy is an open secret among his friends.

FATHER ABBOTT HONORED. ATCHISON, Kan., March 10. - Rev. Father Abbott has been selected as acting president of the order of St. Benedict in America. At the next general meeting of the order the selection will be confirmed by the holy father's election to the place.

IN HENRY'S FAVOR

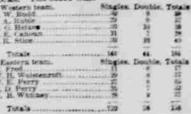
A Large Balance Due Him from the Travelers' Insurance Company.

DENVER Col., March 10.-The report in the celebrated case of T. C. against Travelers' Insurance pany of Hartford, was filed today. The report finds a cash balance due Henry of 892,519 16, and that there should be returned to him collaterals aggregating over a million dollars, and orders the cancellation of Henry's obligations. master finds that these obligations have been paid to the Travelers' Insurance

This result affects the most important agricultural districts and changes the legal status of more than half of the large irrigating cannia of Colorado. An action was begun by Henry today in the United States circuit against the Travellers Insurance company for \$500,000 damages for illegal scizare of property. More suits for damages will follow.

WESTERN SHOOTERS WIN. KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 10.-The Kan-

ass City match between the traveling trap shooters, representing the east and west, was shot at Elliott's park this afternoon. The western team won handliy. match was thirty singles and ten pair blue rocks. The score was:



LINCOLN WON'T RESIGN. LONDON, March 10 .- Mr. Robert Lincole, denial of the report that he intends to re-